

Docket No. 240709US0

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Franz-Erich BAUMANN, et al

SERIAL NO: 10/685,525

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FOR: LASER-SINTERING POWDER CONTAINING TITANIUM DIOXIDE PARTICLES, PROCESS FOR ITS PREPARATION, AND MOLDINGS PRODUCED THEREFROM



"RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116-
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING
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Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.116** with attachment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required
- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.
- ☒ Additional documents filed herewith: Copy of Form PTO-1449 as filed December 22, 2005

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS	CLAIMS REMAINING		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID	NO. EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	CALCULATIONS
TOTAL	18	MINUS	22	0	x \$50 =	\$0.00
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- ☒ Please charge any additional Fees for the papers being filed herewith and for which no check or credit card payment is enclosed herewith, or credit any overpayment to deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ If these papers are not considered timely filed by the Patent and Trademark Office, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. §1.136, and any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 for any necessary extension of time may be charged to Deposit Account No. 15-0030. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed March 16, 2006, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application **and the finality of the Office Action**, in view of the following amendment and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Discussion of the Amendment begins on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.